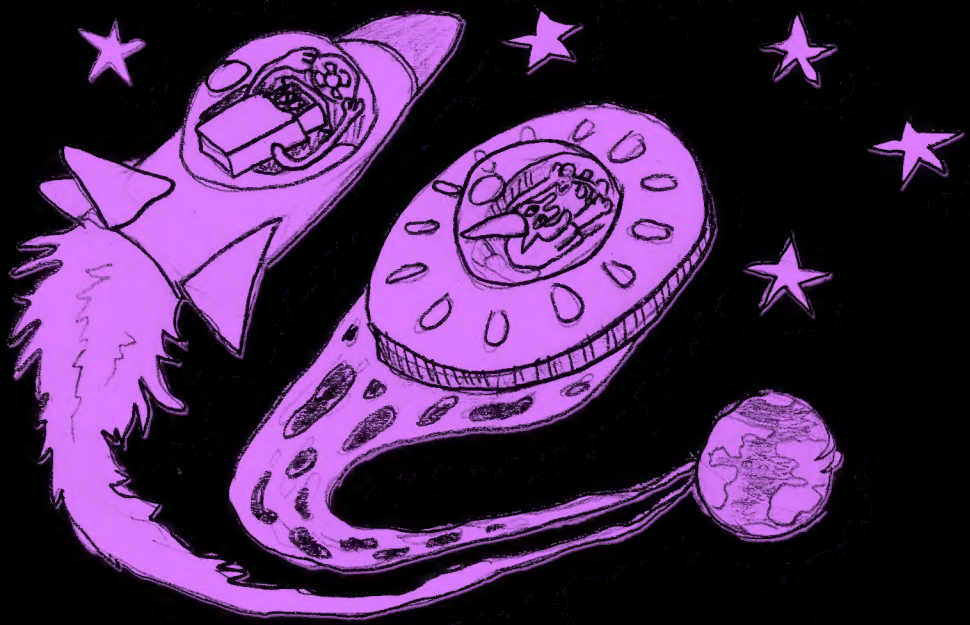
The New Night Drawer

issue 133

Space Race



Drawn January 12, 2025 at Le Voyeur

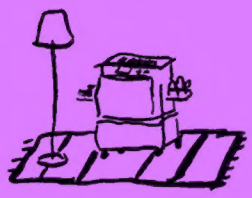
The New Night Drawer

is made possible by our sponsors!

YDHWM
daily tv talk show

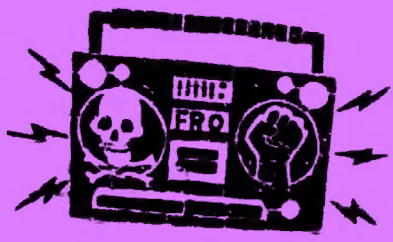
Le Voyeur
cafe bar venue

TCMOFA
thurston county
museum of fine arts



Living Room Press

SPLAT HISTORY



free radio olympia
91.9fm

Olympia, Wash.
kjrprint.com kjr_print

THE NEW NIGHT DRAWER
ISSUE 133
JANUARY 12, 2025

SPACE RACE

From 1957 to 1969 everyone wanted to get to space. It all started with Sputnik, a Russian sattelite that made it into space. The whole world and especially the USA was jealous. They wanted to be the ones to make the next big accomplishemnt in space. Maybe they would send a dog, or maybe a monkey, eventually a human into orbit. I'm not sure why they wanted to do it so fast. Probalby they thought that it showed that they were smart or something.

Eventually everyone made it to space, but there were so many little "finish lines" that it is difficult to say who really won the race in the end. I think everyone got bored with space and then moved onto the Cold War.

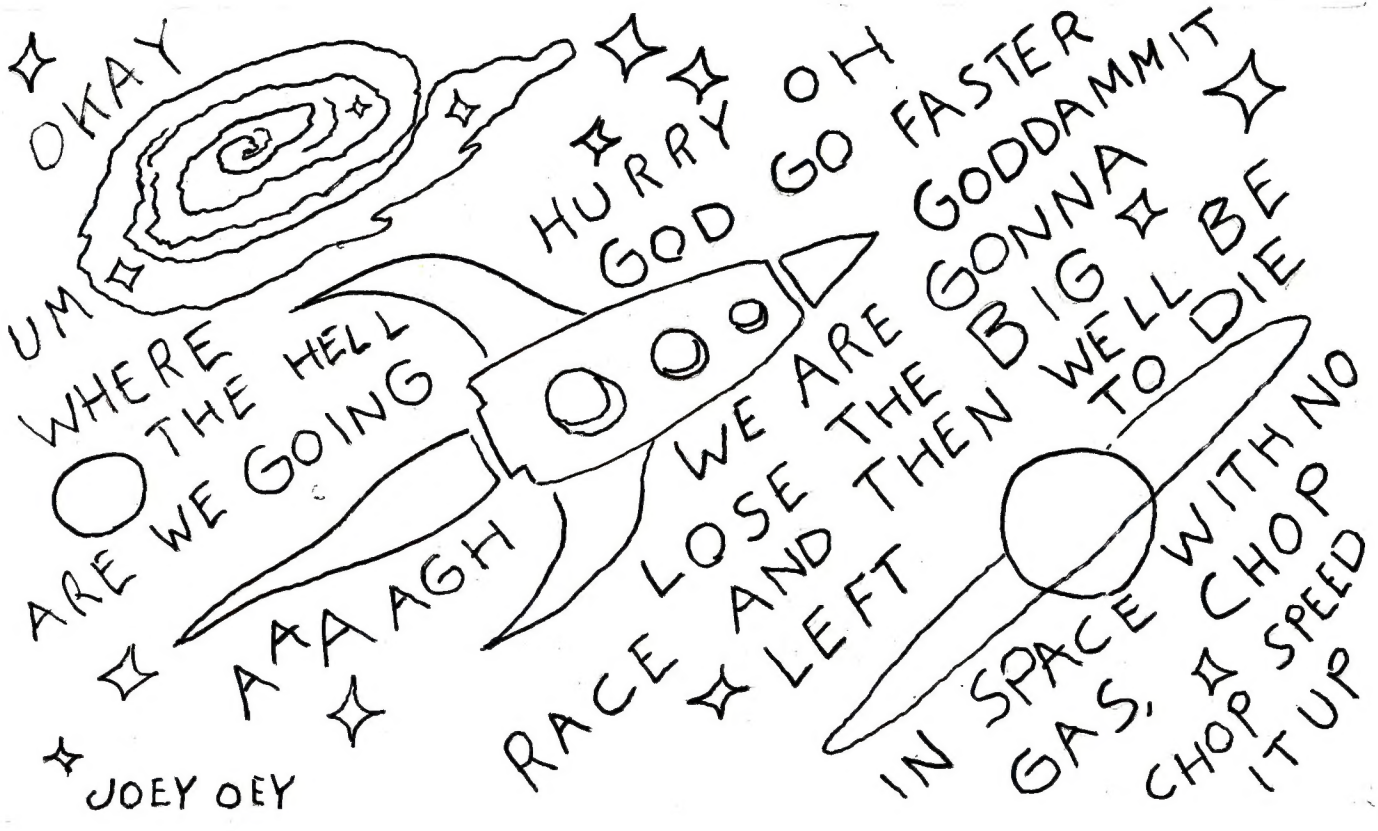
Now there are two astronauts stranded in the international space station orbiting earth who haven't been able to get home. They left in June 2024 and because of lots of delays and problems won't be back at least until March 2025. They are not winning the space race.

A race is when two people try to do something the fastest. Actually it could be a lot of people all racing at the same time. Sometimes the poeple who make this zine seem like they are racing. After only a few minutes of drawing one of them turns in a masterpiece."It's not a race!" I say, but today it is.

Every week we meet at Le Voyeur and choose a prompt in a semi-random way. Then all the Night Drawers begin to make the pages you are about to see. If you are reading this then you are invited to participate and help make the next zine. Just cometo Le Voyeur between 7-10pm on a Sunday. But for now get ready, get set, and GO! It's time for the spaceiest race of them all!

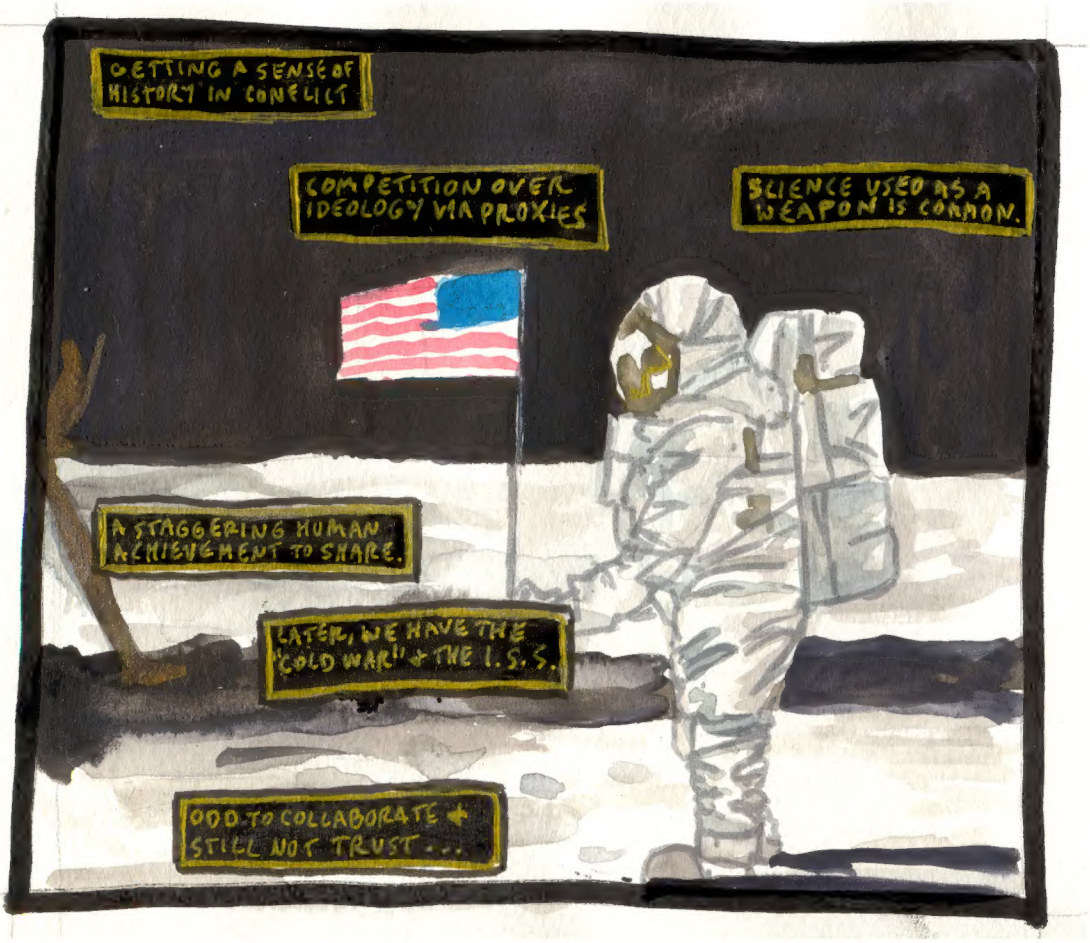
2

FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE HISTORY OF THE EVENT, THE CAPITAL CITY MARATHON HAS BEEN WON BY SOMEONE WHO IS NOT EVEN FROM THIS PLANET!
133

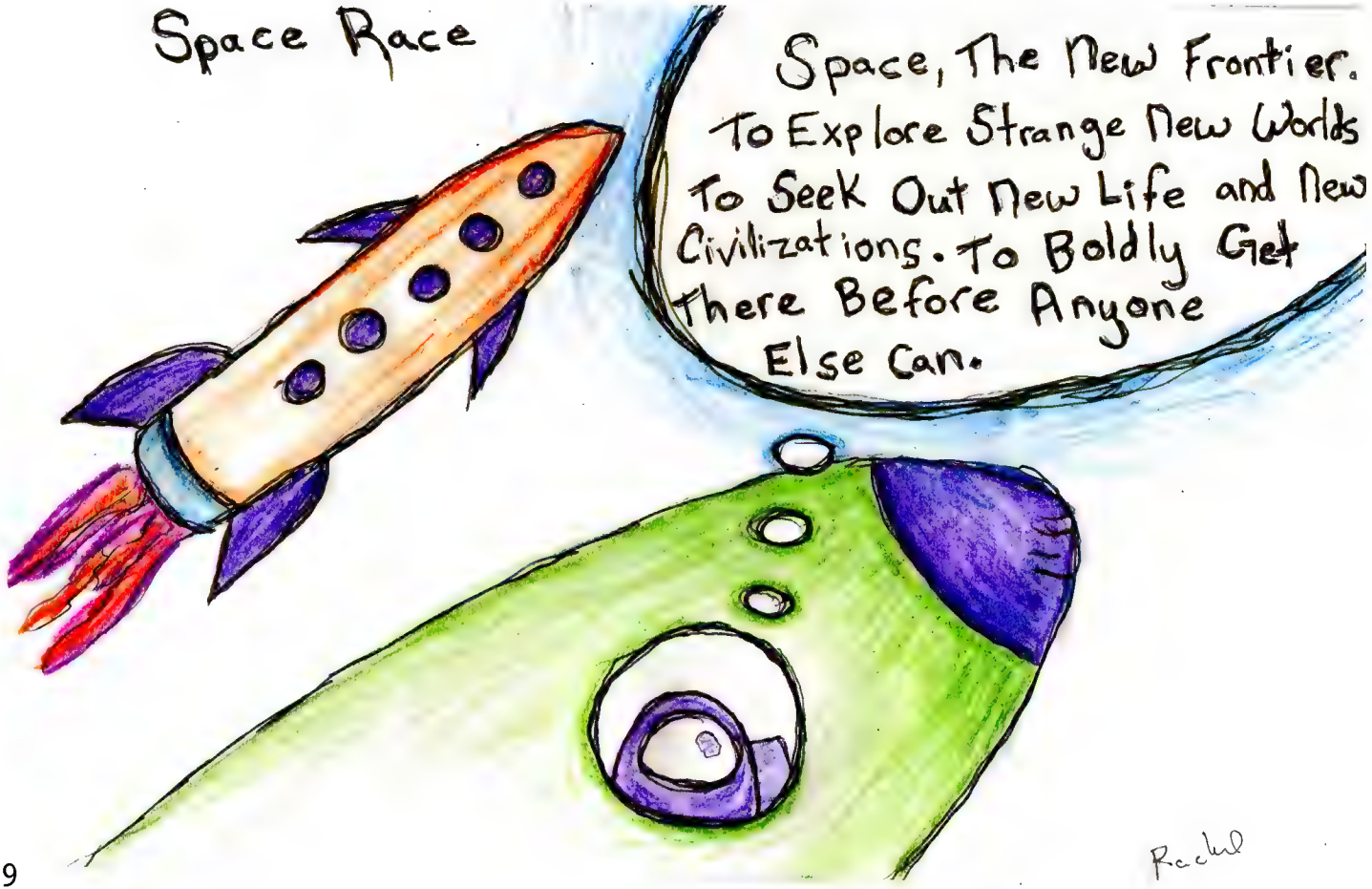

OKAY
UM
WHERE ARE WE GOING
THE HELL
AAAAGH
HURRY OH GOD GO FASTER
GODDAMMIT
WE ARE GONNA LOSE THE RACE AND THEN BIG LEFT
WELL BE TO DIE
IN SPACE WITH NO GAS, CHOP CHOP SPEED IT UP
JOEY OEY

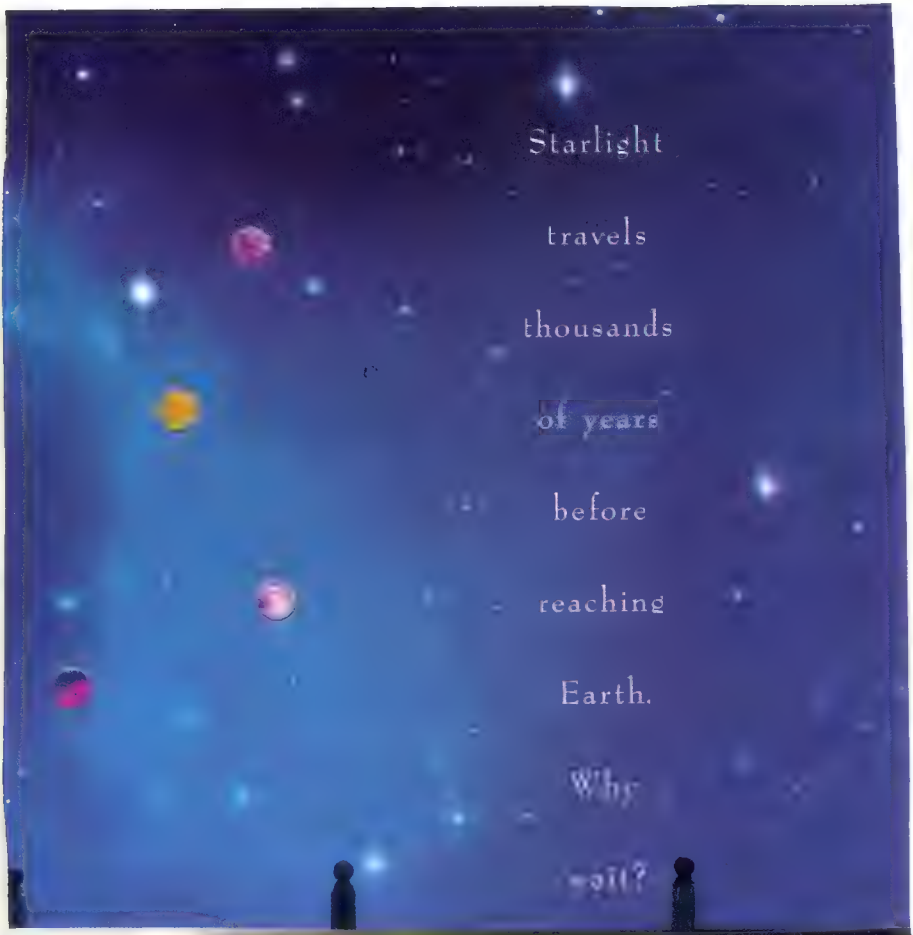
5

GNARP


GETTING A SENSE OF HISTORY IN CONFLICT
COMPETITION OVER IDEOLOGY VIA PROXIES
SCIENCE USED AS A WEAPON IS COMMON.
A STAGGERING HUMAN ACHIEVEMENT TO SHARE.
LATER, WE HAVE THE 'COLD WAR' + THE I.S.S.
ODD TO COLLABORATE + STILL NOT TRUST...

Space Race


Space, The New Frontier. To Explore Strange New Worlds To Seek Out New Life and New Civilizations. To Boldly Get There Before Anyone Else Can.
Rachel


Starlight
travels
thousands
of years
before
reaching
Earth.
Why
so?

Struggles!
DRIVE IT!
Triumphs!
Death...
WOW!
RUST IN PEACE

NASA HQ
LAIKA! EARTH HAS BEEN INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN AN INTERPLANETARY SPACE RACE AND YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN PILOT THE EXPERIMENTAL SPACE CRAFT!
WOOF!
READY!
SET!
GO!
LAIKA
EARTH WINS!
1st
1
the end.

MEFF

Thank you for reading
THE NEW NIGHT DRAWER
ISSUE 133: Space Race

here is an index of who made each page

1 - intro

2 - Jeremy | @jeremy.tattoos

3 - Frederick Dobler | @frederickdobler

4 - Joey-oey | @joeyoeymusic

5 - Stev

6 - Moss

7 - Andrea M.

8 - Kit DeForge | @laika.came.home

9 - Rachel | @ifiwerebluecheese

10 - Jordan

11 - Moxie

12 - Mads | @artist_kbam

13 - Noah

14 - Kirbotron 2000 | @kirbotron2000

15 - Kai Anole

16 - Aim Ren Beland | @aimrenatus

17 - Frederick Dobler | @frederickdobler

18 - Jojo the Oddish

19 - Carl Meff | @meffillustrations

20 - index

The Night Drawer is a collaborative art zine, which means anyone can submit a page. If you would like to get involved come to Le Voyeur at 7pm on Sundays or send an email to TheNightDrawer@ydhwm.com

You can find back issues of The Night Drawer at the Olympia Timberland Library in the Zine Library section. Also there is an Instagram.
@thenightdrawerofficial

check out these other free
reoccuring events in the community

second tuesdays
of every month at 7pm
spring/summer at vic's pizza wildwood
fall/winter at bar francis

The Night Drawer is a drawing night and collaborative art zine made every week on Sundays at Le Voyeur in Olympia, WA. At 7pm a new prompt is chosen from the drawer and eveyone is invited to make a page inspired by that prompt. No one knows what the prompt will be beforehand, but anyone can add new prompts into the drawer at any time. All the pages are collected and made into this zine. The Night Drawer is open to the public and welcomes artists of all styles and skill levels.

This week's artists are: